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MONYPENY-MCGREW.—At 5 p. m., on April 8, 1884, by the Rev. Dr. Rankin, at the residence of the bride's parents, in this city, Miss Grace A. McGrew to William Monypeny, Ir., of Columbus, Onto.

SHEID-WISE.—At the parsonage of Union Chapel, on April 8, 1884, by Rev. Dr. Weech, William R. Shied, of Washington, to Laura Wise, of Onlo.

WATKINS — KNIGHT.—On December 15, 1883, by the Rev. Thomas H. Myers, of Virginia, John J. Watkins and Mary M. Knight, both of this city. both of this city.

DIED. BELL.—Bessie Virginia, daughter of Joshua and Silva Beil, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock on the night of April 8, 1884, aged 14 menths and 10 days.

Funeral services Friday morning, April 11, at 10 o'clock, at residence, 3464, Maryland avenue southwest. Friends and relatives are invited.

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DODGE.—At Waupun, Wis., on April 5, 1884,
Mrs. M. A. Dodge, in the S4th year of her age,
mother of W. C. Dodge, of this city.

EEGOOD.—On Tuesday, April 8, 1884, at
1:15 a. m., Mary A. Ergood, beloved wife of
Jemuel Ergood, aged 25 years and 10
months. months.

OGDEN.—In Homer, N. Y., on April S, 1884, at 4 p. m., David Ogden, aged 84 years, 6 months and 2 days. Mr. Ogden was the father of A. W. Ogden and Mrs. Fred A. Gee, of this

city.

RUSSELL.—On Wednesday morning, at 9:30
o'clock, April 8, 1884, Mrs. Mary A, Russell,
formerly of Harper's Ferry, W. Va., aged 55 Funeral Friday, 11th instant, at 10 o'clock a.m., from the residence of her son, 188 F street northeast.

SMITH—On April 9, 1884, at 4:30 a. m., Bridget Smith, in the 53d year of her age.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 1922 K street northwest, on Friday, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friendsjare respectfully layied to attend.

KINSLOW.—On April 7, 1884, at 0:30 p. m., of pneumonia, Thomas W. Kinslow. Mr. Corbin Won't be Retired. The bill to rettre Thomas G. Corbin as Rear Admiral in the Navy, which came up on the Senate calendar yesterday, led to a brief but spirited debate. Mr. McPherson stated the case of the claim-

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Mr. Logan took the lead in opposition. He held that it was neither wright nor fair to jump men on the retired list above the rank they have occupied. There was too much of sales sort of thing, he said, and it was unwise and vicious legation.

Mr. Plumb said Captain Corbin had been guilty of acts of insubordination and there was not the slightest reason why he should be advanced on the retired list.

Mr. Cockrell also spoke in opposition to the bill, and declared that this class of cases ought to be frowned upon. Such legation was simply robbing the taxpayers under the color of law. He moved to indefinitely postpone the bill.

Carried—32 yeas, 56 nays.

Mr. Springer (III.) has prepared a bill which he will introduce in the House reviving the old scheme for the renaming of the streets in Washington running east and west, substituting the names of eminent men in the history of the country whose initials correspond with the present letters. Thus, A streets are changed to Adams and Arthur, G to Gatesand Greene, T to Thomas and Tilden, and as on. This scheme has been arged before but was not raverably received. It was thought better to reserve the names of persons for intermediate streets, as Grant, for a short street between G and B. Higgs, for the same, between it and S, and so on.

Bings, the English Hangman.

Bings, the English hangman, is a subject of Parliamentary talk, and it is proposed to turn him out of his place. It may be a satisfaction to him to know that Jack Retch, the greatest of hangman, was similarly elected. Luttralises in his diary, January 20, 1688: 'Jack Keich, the hangman, for affronting the shering of London, was committed to Bridewell and is turned out of his place, and one Rose, a butcher, put in." It is soldon one hears of a hangman being holst with his owa petard. Luttrall writes a few months later: "Fire men of those lately condemned at the Sessions were executed at Tyburn; one of them was Fascha Rose, the new hangman, so that now Jack Ketch is restored to his place."

A Life-Saver With a Record. A Life-Saver With a Record.
Captain Devan, of the Louisville (Ky.) Lifesaving Station, and one of the most successful
life-savers in the service, is in the city on business before the Treasury Department. The
Captain wears medals from the State of Kentucky and from numerous private individuals
and the crews and passengers of various vessels, and carries rings and pins and all sorts
of trophies and testimonials from the immense number of persons whose lives he has
been instrumental in saving at sea or in time
of flood. During the recent floods the Captain
has personally directed the efforts of his
crew in saving several thousand lives.

The Belford of the Ohio Legislature. The Helford of the Ohio Legislature, Hon. Allon O'Myers, Fickaway of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and the Belford of the Ohio Legislature, was at the Capitol to-day making it pleasant for the Ohio delegation in Congress. Mr. Myers will remain here for a few days, but will return to Ohio in time to attend the last day's seasion of the Legislature, of which he is a member, and which will, it is expected, adjourn next week. Mr. Myers is a honour of the radical free-trade type.

In the Bayswater District of London there is a Boya' Cat League, established for torturing cats... An eath is administered by the captain of implicit obedience, with fines, rewards, etc. They steal their poor victims generally on Sundays, bank holidays, and evenings after dark for this savage, cowardly passime, and carry them into private pleasure grounds, quiet streets, empty houses, there to torture them.

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS. THE equity bill of John C. Kendall against Lucy M. Lescallet, to set aside a deed, etc., has been dismissed.

THE Commissioners have appointed D.
R. Slade and J. Hollingsworth additional privates on the police force,
REBECCA SMITH, a notorious white vagrant, was sent to the farm for three months
by Judge Shell again this morning. MR. JAMES H. LAWRENCE has petitioned

WM. ALLISON reports to the police that yesterday morning a sneak thief entered his front basement door and stole a lot of clothing. He gave chase and recovered the clothing, but the thief escaped.

THE District Commissioners held a meet-ing this afternoon to discuss the proposed union depot for the steam railroads and make such recommendations to the Senate as they consider would benefit the people of the Dis-trict meet.

TWENTY-THREE produce dealers in the Centre Market, who were charged with doing business without licenses, produced their it-censes in the Police Court this morning and the charges against them were dismissed. The price of the license is \$25.

Out of the score of saloon-keepers charged a few days ago with keeping their bars open on Sunday, George Juenemann, Jas. Godden, T. A. Sullivae, J. H. Deadley, E. L. Johnson, John Myers and Charles G. Godfrey forfeited \$20 each in the Police Court to-day. Mn. R. C. DuBois has inclosed a draft of a bill to the District Commissioners to facilitate the readjustment of streets and alleys. He suggests that when the majority of property owners directly interested petition for a change of direction of a street or alley within subdivisions in the District of Columbia, the Commissioners may be empowered to make exchange by deed of such property so abandoned for the United States for the new direction of said street or alley.

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PERSONAL POINTS.

-The Hon. M. H. Day, attorney, left the city last night for his home in Dakota. Mr. Day is one of the mest inducental citizens of that four-ishing Terribry, having served with distinction in the Upper House of the Legis-lative Council, and holding positions of honor in the social make-up of the great North-west.

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—Chas. McLaughlin, 28q., is a candidate for a delegate to the Chicago Democratic
Convention for the abstrict of Columbia. He
has over and over as in been elected and reelected to high office in the city of Chicago,
and having made (Cough a young man) such
marks of distinction in political movements
he has been recogned as being the right
man in the right plos.

—Captain Same I. McKhever, Second
United States Infant 7, and wife, arrived on
Tuesday evening from Fort Coour of Aline,
Idahe, and are stopping with friends at 1914
Fifteenth street northwest. The Captain will
be remembered as commandant of the guard
at the Executive Mansion for several years, beginning with the incumboncy of President
Lincoln. He reports that the excitement over
the Idahe gold mines is still very great, and
that thousands are on the ground waiting for
the deep snows to melt.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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G. H. Newton, Buffalo, N. Y.; C. Watrous, N. Y.; Erastus Weman, Buten Inland; J. A. Fay, Ir. Elizabeth, N. J.; J. M. Sherman, Jersey City; G. W. Hobard, N. Y.; F. A. Rhodes, Frewdence, R. I.; A. Meyers, Columbus, O.; G. K. Otle, N. Y.; A. R. Turnes, Ir. Boston; C. A. Waldroh, Watertow, N. Y.; Miss Grace Usher, N. Y.; E. A. Storey, N. Y.; Wins. Stanley and wife, N. Y.; Willestanley, N. Y.; Mrs. A. C. Knox, city; G. A. Fallansbee and wife, Galcago; C. H. S. Miser and wife, Chicago; W. S. Vernam, N. Y.; Mrs. B. J. Vernam, N. Y.; Mrs. J. A. Broadhead, Now York city; J. B. Reisel, St. Louis; W. M. Callender, Louisville, Ky.; E. V. Cherry, London, Erg.; T. C. Ecad and wife, Ohlo; L. Servanc, Salem, O.; J. Fox and wife, N. Y.; D. F. Cooney and wife, N. Y.; Mrs. A. B. Starr, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Miss F. M. Hartman, York, Pa.; W. McDonnell, Richsend, Va.; N. W. Dodge, N. Y. Williard's.

Western humorists always get down into the cellar when a blizzard is due. There is no joke in getting out on the roof.

THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE. Resene Lodge of Good Templars. On last evening the officers of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars made their semi-au-Longe of tools rempine made their semi-already inclination to Bescop Lodge, and despite the very inclement weather were received by an unusually large membership. The meeting was in every respect the most pleasant and important in the history of the lodge and gave abundant evidence that the membership has already acquired complete knowledge of the slements of success with which the order abounds.

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A critical inspection by the Grand Lodge officers showed every department to be well menaged and that, though it is young it has attained a prosperity and efficiency rarely secured so early by any lodge. Before closing the lodge was entertained with short addresses by Mr. Kaistrom, G. W. C. T.; Mr. M. P. Caldwell, G. W. sccretary; Mr. John Bussius, G. W., chancellor; Mr. James E. Frost, G. chaplein, and Mr. W. T. Bailey, of Minnehaha Lodge, Recitation by Mrs. Woodward, of Star of Hops, vocal solo by Mr. Stuart, of Rescue, and plane solo by Harry W. Smith, of Hiawatha Lodge.

THE OUTLOOK For the Democratic Delegation to

Chicago.

There is but one thing that seems settled There is but one thing that seems settled about the Democratic Convention, and that is that Dickson will be selected asons of the delegates to Chicago. The names of E. D. Wright, J. T. Luttrell and R. C. Hewitt are mentioned, from among whom the other delogates will be chosen.

W. P. Bell seems to lead for the position of chairman, while Mr. Watson Boyle is frequently named as secretary.

It is certain that a sentiment in favor of Tilden pervades the delegates, and it is by no means improbable that a resolution to instruct for Tilden will be introduced. Even if this is not done care will be taken to select no delegate who is not known to be for him.

SEVEN THIRSTY YEARS.

Twenty Men Who Pledged Them-selves to Sobriety Until a Demoerat is Elected.

The day after the decision of the Electoral
Commission declaring it. B. Hayes President of the United States was rendered, twenty middle-aged men met before the bar of a Madison-street saloon, in Chicago, to take a drink of whisky. It was to be the last drink drink of whisky. It was to be the last drink of whisky they were to take until a Democratic President should be laugurated. They made a selemn vow to this effect, and the penalty that was fixed for breaking it was a fine of \$1.00. If any fines should be collected the money was to be placed in a bank and expended on the inauguration of a Democratic President in fittingly celebrating the end of their period of probation.

That was seven years ago, and the time is now drawing near when they sanguinely hope they will be absolved from their cath.

Of the twenty two have died, five have proved backsliders, four of them paying their fines, and the fifth being too poor to do so. This leaves thirteen of the original twenty and, as far as is known, they have not violated their pledges.

One of those who took the pledge is John Pearson, waiter at the Sherman House. Pearson has lost a couple of fortunes. He has been in business off and on since 1854, and is a particular crony of B. P. Hutchinson, the millionaire grain and commission man.

"Yes," he admitted when spoken to. "I am one of the twenty. I have never insted a drop of whisky since 1876. None of us were very hard drinkers, but we sil drank enough to make it a terrible privation to quit so suddenly, If a Democratic President should not be elected for twenty years we were to keep our piedge. There was no limit or condition."

"Much 5. 1885," answered Pearson, unlesitatingly, "and the Precident will be Samuel J. Tilden. I don't intend to get drank, for I never did, but the first glass of whisky will taste nitghty good, I reckon, after eight years of ginger ale." One of those who took the pledge is John

Some Characteristics of the Czar.

For a Russian the Czar is a poor linguist: he speaks only three languages, French, German and Russian. Nearly every educated Russian speaks at least five languages flussian perfor." In easys, "who speaks Russian in his lamily, while his father spoke only German and his grandfather French. The Emperor is military, like his father, but not so exclusively so as he. Bodliy he is probably the strongest man in Russia. When he was Crown Prince, instead of leaving visiting card when calling he would frequently twist a gold piece and leave it, so great was his pride in showing his friends how strong he was. I have seen him crush a gold vase by mere hand power. This is undoubtedly due to his regular habits. His gets up every morning at 5; takes a cup of coffee, hears the Greek mass—he is a very religious man—and then begins to work, looking over the state papers. At 9 he takes oreaktast with his wife. After breakfast he exercises, he holds his daily audience. At dinner at 6 he eats little, and takes only one glass of Burgandy. After that, if there is no bail or court recoption, he sits with his family, reading to his wife while she embroiders. There is no doubt that the Czar and his wife are devoted to each other. As far back as 1887, when a very young man, he was at a great court reception in Faris, and the Empress Eugeule asked him which of all the ladder present he thought the most beautiful. He answered that he was too much of a barbarian to think any woman more beautiful than his own wife. The Emperor, in short, lives and asked him which of all the ladder and a second second short. Some Characteristics of the Czar. barbarian to think any woman more beautiful than his own wife. The Emperor, in short, lives and acts like a man who accepts the duties of life, and tries to perform them as best he can."

He Wouldn't Stand Any More Kiss Kentucky State Journal.

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A good many male friends of Bill Chinks attended his wedding, which took place in a room of the bride's parents' residence in the country a few evenings ago. After the minister had finished the ceremony, Bill, without moving from his position, said:

"Now. Mr. Preachor, what's yer charge fur splich' us?"

"Oh. well, just what you feel like giving."

"Wall, I feel like givin' a good deal, fur it was a good job. But here's a quarter, which is all I've got."

"Very well, sir; I can't take more than is given me."

And then Bill, taking hold of his bride's right hand with his left, turned to the crowd and said:

right hand with his left, turned to the crows and said:
"Now, gentlemen, I don't know but what all you fellers may hev had a whack at kissin' Mariar after she was married, but now this 'cre gal's my property. I've paid fur her, and she's mine; and the first feller I ketch of hear of kissin' her again I'll whale. Them's my terms. Now let the fiddler chune up his vierlin."

The Permit for the New Armory and Opera-House.

Inspector of Buildings Entwiste to-day issued the permit to Messrs, J. F. Dyer and others, Building Committee of W. L. I. Armory, for the construction of their new Opera-House and Armory on Fifteenth street, below the Avenue. The dimensions of the building will be 115 front by 164 feet deep, five stories high, with a tower of 115 feet in height. The walls will be 36 inches for the drat story, and 32 inches for the second, hird, fourth and 28 inches for fifth. The seating capacity will be 2,000, which is several hundred more than the National Theatre. The cost of the building will be \$110,000.

Eating Hot Cross Buns. Eating Mot Cross Buns.

The English custom of eating hot cross buns on Good Friday is growing to observance in America, although the origin is in doubt and may be traced for away beyond the Passover. In the Vatican there is a table very roughly presenting the miracle of the five loaves, which have the symbolical cross on them. But the ancient pagna Saxons, in their worship of Astarte, offered up baked cakes, and the prophet Jeremiah mentions the women lacading dough to make cakes as effering the Queen of Heaven.

Raifroad Notes.

Colonel W. F. Barker, superintendent of the Pullman car service of this division, has returned from a visit to did Foint, Va., much improved in health.

H. H. Carter, superintendent of the B. & F. Boad, was in the city to-day.

A. J. Galloway, traveling agent of the Affantic Coast Line, is in the city.

J. W. Pickle, passenger agent of the C. B. & C. Road, has returned to the city after several days' absence on business.

Frank Trigg, Washington passenger agent of the C. & O. Boad, is absent on an Eastern tip.

Northern tourists continue to arrive via southern trains from Florida. The Virginia Midland is doing a heavy pas-senger business to the Southwest.

H. B. Plant, of New York, president of the Savannah, Flerida & Western Rallway and president of the Southern Express Company, is stopping in the city for a few days.

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

A Senator's Very Enthusiastic View of It.

A member of the Senate Committee on Postoffices and Post-roads said this morning that the committee would have a pustal telegraph bill ready to report to the Senate to-day. "It fixes the maximum rates at

to-day. "It fixes the maximum rates at about what the English rates are," said he, "and opens to competition the whole business. I am assured by Dr. Green, of the Western Union, that all of the leading telegraph companies will compete for the contract of furnishing postal telegraphy, and that it would take but a few weeks for the Western Union to put 13,000 offices in operation. The rates the Government and people will get by this bill will be so far below those of the present that they would lead one to believe they would be ruinous, but I am told that the increase of business low rates will produce will more than make up the reduction of

increase of business low rates will produce will more than make up the reduction of the aggregate income to the company successful in bidding."

"Do you think the bill will become a law?" a Carrie man asked.

"There is no daubt of it," replied the Senator. "I told Dr. Green recently that it was only a question of time when the Government would supply the people with telegraphy, and I am satisfied that the telegraph companies realize this now. I think graph companies realize this now. I think the bill will pass."

THE PUBLIC BUILDING QUESTION. The House Engages in Another Wrangle About It. The House reasembied at 11 a. m. to-day in continuation of yesterday's session, a recess baving been taken to that time.

Mr. Eaton, from the Committee on the Presi-

having been taken to that time.

Mr. Eaton, from the Committee on the Presidential Count, reported with a substitute the Senate bill fixing a day for the election of Presidential electors, providing for counting the votes and for the settlement of disputes arising in relation thereto. It was placed on the calendar.

After some other business, by unantmous consent, Mr. Stockslager, at 11:45, moved to go into Committee of the Whole on public buildings bills. On this motion the vote was 73 to 7, and the point of order was made that quorum voted.

Tellers were ordered and the vote resulted 120 to 15, not a quorum, and on motion of Mr. Belford a call of the House was ordered.

The roll was called and 222 members answered to their names.

Further proceedings were then disposed with.

The hour of 12 o'clock having arrived Mr. Warner moved to adjourn. Lost.

The House thus decided to continue Wednesday's legislative day into Thursday.

On a motion by Mr. Stockslager to go into Committee of the Whole the vote was 117 to 26; no quorum.

Mr. Beford—"I demand a call of the House to see if we are a body of courageous men or cowards."

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The first bill taken up was for a public building at Greenville, S. C., to cost not exceeding \$50,000.

THE NATIONAL BANKS.

They Appeal to Congress for Needed Legislation. Representative Ermentrout (Pa.) presented in the House to-day memorials of officers of National banks in Feonsylvanai, New York and Minnesota in regard to other securities for

Minnesota in regard to other securities for National bank circulation. They say they realize that they probably waste their time in memorializing Congress, because it is obvious that this Congress does not intend doing anything in the matter; that the present requirement effecting deposits to secure circulation makes business unprofitable, however, and that if nothing is done they will return to the state system and give up their charters as rapidly as their charters expire.

"For some strange reason," writes President Marvine, of the Delaware National Bank, Delphi, N. Y., "Congress seems bent on finding out how much squeezing we will stand, and if the past is any evidence it will continue doing so until the system is ruined. It is true some new banks are starting, but they are mostly managed by inexperienced men, whe, like many Congressmen, think they know more about the business of banking than old bankers. After a short trial they will also leave the system."

THE MORRISON BILL. Its Prospective Effect on Both Par-

When the Morrison bill is called up in the House there will be considerable pent-up wind expended by the Democratic leaders on both sides of the tariff question. Frank Hurd, Morrison, Sam Cox and Colonel Blackburn will crack the whip for the passage of the bill.

These gentlemen will take the ground that the defeat of the bill means the dissolution of the Democratic party, while Randall, Boyle, Lamb and Converse will contend that the passage of the measure will cause the liepublicans to sweep the country in November next.

Altogether it will no doubt be an interesting fight—for the Republicans. It is believed that the Republican members will sit quietly by in the early stages of the debate and watch their Democratic brethren do each other up. both sides of the tariff question. Frank Hurd.

THE INFANTRY AND RIFLES. Shall They be Exempted From Tax

atten? The bill exempting the property of the National Rifles and the Light Infantry from taxation has been referred to the District Commissioners for their opinion. It is probable that the Commissioners will refer the bill back with the recommendation that the militiary organizations of the District be mustered into the service of the United States and the officers duly commissioned.

filed for record to-day with the Recorder of

filed for record to-day with the Recordor of Deeds, as reported exclusively to THE CHITTO by J.F. Olmstead, 1416 New York avenue:
Eleventh street west, between H and I streets north, square 318, part of 10112, south 1x70, Charles T. Heinecke to Louis H. Schneider; \$150.

First street west, corner D street north, square 571, part of sublots 1 and 2, 20x50, Samuel C. McDowell to Thomas W. Smith \$1,700.

N street north, between Sixth and Seventh streets west, square 448, sublot 54, 20x1054, Barhara Schnauder to Samuel L. Wiest; \$5,500.

Sixteenth street west, corner M north, square 197, lot 17 and part of 18, 70x105, Wm. Strong to Washington McLean; \$13,000.

Ninth street west, between M and N streets north, square 400, part of sublot 10, south 12 ft, 44, in. by 92 ft., Caroline Bloomer to John G. Toepfer; \$2,300.

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Columbia Heights—Lot 11, block 20, and lot 13, block 21, John Sherman, trustee, to Myron M. Parker; \$1,684.32.

Mount Pleasant, sublet 134, Chapin Brown's subdivision, Chapin Brown to Mills Bean; \$500. Been: \$500.
Mount Fleasant, part of lots 108 and 169,
Prather's subdivision, Eliza Warden to Merodith Fatman: \$1,100.
Beatty and Hawkins' addition to Georgetown, an undivided "b. William F. Kengla to
Michael C. Weaver; \$5,000.

DISTRICT COURTS.

EQUITY COURT - Justice James. - McDer-mott vs. McDermott; pro confesse. Herbert vs. Williams: order appointing George D. Fan guardias ad litem. Barnard vs. Barnard: commission ordered to Issue to take answer of infant defendant. Hays vs. Hays; reference to the auditor.

The Memeirs of Heine.

In the memoirs of Heine just published, some interesting details are given concerning the members of his family. His father was the Beau Brummel of Frince Edward of Cumberland, afterward king of Hamover, and, when the wars in Flanders were over, established himself as a cloth merchant. Hither he took with him twelve splendid horses and a number of dogs. He became a member and afterward commander of the National Guards in Dusseldorf, and behaved loward the civic troops in the most liberal maner. They omptled the bottles of old Ruedesheimer which he sent them with great relish, and beasted of their generous chief with all the on-thusiasm of the Old Guard of Napoleon. "But," writes Helias, "my hafher's Old Guard did not die, and often surrendered." The city was not niways safe when Heine, senior, was in command of the local guard. One evening he sent sur two patrols, all the mon composing them belieg druns, and the consequences were deplorable. The men of one patrol were engued worthy of comic opera. Heine himself did not share the military tastes of his fathor; but he shared his admiration for Bonaparts, who inspired him at his with the song of "The Two Grenadiers." So distasteful to his view was the Prusslan uniform that when he saw a soldier he put his tongue out at him.

Breach of promise cases are becoming more

"Henceforth we meet as grangers" is a saying among lows farmers.

Breach of promise cases are becoming more
and more profuse, so to speak. Better wait
and let the gals propose hereafter.

SOUTH WASHINGTON.

Captains Skinner, Phillips, Ross and Lucas, of the Pilois Association, met Assistant District-Aiterney Taggart at his office last night and had a long consultation in regard to the incorporation of the association. Mr. Taggart eaked a number of questions in regard to the cipiet and work of the association and appeared most interested in what he heard. The committee will report at the regular meeting of the association to morrow night.

Mr. J. G. Miller will erect two neat brick dwellings on Ninth attent, between D and E streets southweak, at an estimated cost of \$2,600.

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The announcement of the death of Miss Annie Dyer, of South Washington, will cause saddees to many who knew her and loved her for her amiable qualities. Her decease was very sudden. She had been in Virginia for some time visiting relatives, but returned on Modeay feeling only a little indignosed, it is stated. Her electroes developed into typnoid fever, from which she died yesterday aftermos at her home, No. 306 Eleventh street coultwest. She was for a long time a deather in the Sunday-school at Ryland Chansel, and vice president of the Young Weisson's Curistian Temperance Union.

Mr. Henry Gars, of G street southwest, who has been for a long time sick with disease of the beart, died lastinght. He was fornerly in the confectionery business, but for some time and been comployed at the Sational Mussum. He was generally esteemed. He leaves a daughter, who is popular in social circles in South Washington.

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The people of South Washington who are opposed to having the B. & O. R. R. run its tracks between that section of the city and the business part of the city say that the Sonate District Committee make a great mistake if they think the South Washington people will be satisfied if the railroad tracks are confined to Virginia and Maryland avenues and proper fonces and safety gates are put up. The agintors in South Washington want the B. & O. to have fair treatment, and for that reason desire the tracks of the B. & P. and B. & O. tenoved to the southern part of the city and given an equal chance. Should any other proposition be accepted, suits for damages will be entered, which will cost the roads more than if they had moved their tracks, they say. The railroads can ornament the atreets through which they run as much as they wish, but the streets will be destroyed for residence purposes as long as the tracks remain.

EAST WASHINGTON. The free concert and entertainment given by the Sunday-school of the Seamen's Bethel Retreat fast evening was well attended, despite the inclement weather. After the opening corus by the school a very pleasing recitation of "Welsome" was rendered by Miss Addie Souder. Recitations and songs were given by the following scholars: Misses Alice Holroyd, Maggie Frazier, Ida De Neal, Eva. Shields, Mary Lanham, Lizzie Prosperi and others, all of which were received with much applause. Solos on the organ and plane, entitled "Little Mary and "Never Begin," were rendered by Mr. George W. Haveil, to whom many thanks are due for his services in preparing the school for such a delightful time, assisted by Miss Libbey Mofast, the esteemed organist. The E. W. Band of Hope will hold its meeting this evening, conducted by Mrs. Dr. Rodgers.

Mr. Wm. E. Young, whose illness was men-

Dr. Rodgers.

Mr. Wm. E. Young, whose illness was mentioned in Title Chitric a few days ago, died this morning at the residence of his father. No. 751 Eighth street southeast. Deceased has been ill for the past three or four years.

The Chitalic Parks of the Past Washington. The Carbolic churches in East Washinston and Uniontown were crowded with worshipers this morning. At St. Pater's the attendance was unusually large and the sorvices of a highly impressive character. The programme of services at St. Thoresa's, in Union-

cellent.

The friends of Mr. George Schafer deny the statement published in THE CRITIC last Tuesday that he is in destitute circumstances. The correction is cheerfully made.

Charlie Hilton and a companion named Joseph Sears got drunk yesterday afternoon and thought they would take possession of the world, or at least they acted as if the world was theirs. Officers O'Nosi and Howe dis-puted the title and took the young gentlemen to the station-house and locked them up.

WEST WASHINGTON.

Mr. George W. Beall, of whose serious illness
THE CHITIC spoke several days ago, died this
morning at his residence about 6 o'clock of a
a general impoverishment of the blood. Had
he lived until Tuesday next he would have
been 69 years old. He was born and lived all
his life in this city. For a number of years he
was beputy Comptroller of the District. Afterward he became the senior partner
of the grocery firm of George W. Beall
& Bro. For a long period prior to his
death, however, he had not been engaged in
any business. He leaves a wife, four daughters, one of them the wife of Dr. Backus, of
Capitol Hill, and one son, who is in Government employ. The funeral will take place on
Saturday afterpoon at 3 o'clock from the
West street Presbyterian Church, of which he
was a a preminent member.
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Very little wheat and corn is being received now, as the farmers are busy. If the canal toils are lowered it is claimed that business will decidedly increase.

The proposed amendment to the Biddleberger Free Bridge bill, whereby the Secretary of War is authorized to use the Aqueduct plers, provided clear title can be obtained within ninety days after passage of the bill, is not favorably received by the Georgetowa merchants.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS. For some time past the residents of this city have been unable to keep ash barrels in front of their residences, and even the grocery men have been missing the empty flour barrels which they set on the sidewalks in front of their places of business. On Monday a colorced man named Edward Grant, after lurking around in front of a barber shop on lower Prince street for several hours, suddenly disappeared, and shortly afterward it was found that the ash barrel which had stood in front of the barber shop had also disappeared. Yesterday afternoon he attempted to repeat the act of Monday at the corner of King and St. Asaph streets, but before he could get away with his 'treasure,' he was sundenly halted by the proprietor of the store, who was armed with a brick. About 70 clock yesterday svening Grant was discovered by Officer Grady lossing in the neighborhood of the postoffles, and he watched him. The negro soon shouldered an ash barrel, but before he had proceeded far he was selend by Officer Grady, who allowed him to bear his booty as far as Police Headquarters.

The Braddock House will be soid at public auction on the 3d last.

The remains of the eight-months-old daughter of Mr. J. A. Brett were brought here from J. J. Brett were brought here for the store were the store from the store were brought here from J. J. Brett were brought here from J. J. J. Brett were brought here from J. Brett were brought here from J. J. J. Brett were brought here from J. Brett were brought here from J. J. J. Brett were

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The remains of the eight-months-old daughter of Mr. J. A. Brett were brought here from Washington yesterday for interment.

Yesterday two barges arrived at this city, via Chesaposko & Ohio Canal, with 6,000 bushels of corn, consigned to J. T. and J. G. Beckham.

The W. O. & W. Rallroad Company have leased two of their new engines to the Lack awanna & Pittsburgh Railroad, till the new bridges on the former road are completed.

Another new engine, No. 20, built at the

Another new engine, No. 20, built at the Breek Lecomotive Works for the Virginia Midland Railway, arrived at the company's shops in this city last night.

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Alice Majors, colored, died at her home in
the "Harracks," on Upper Frince street, last
night. The mother of the deceased died about
a week since. The family was in desiliate
circumstances, and the deceased will be
buried at the city's expense.

A business meeting of the Hydraulion
Steam Fire Engine Company was held last
night.

The captain of a barge lying at Reed's wharf, who refused to move his boat yesterday evening to allow a solocover to land, was arrested and ledged at the station-house, but was afterward released.

Rustem Effendi's Story of Robbary.

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N. Y. Tribuse.

As Rustem Effendi, the ex-secretary of the late International Sanitary Conference, has recovered the watch which he compilation was stelen from him last Saturiay sight, while entering his boarding-house, in East Sevententh street, he is satisfied to allow the rice, which he says was stolen from him, to go to reward the thefe. At the private detective agency, to which he went before he told his story to the police, it is said that the thioves are well known, but have not been arrested, because "The Effendi dhes not care to push his complaint, and would hurr our business." On Sunday attornoon the Effondi called at the Twenty-hinth Precinct Station and told Captain Williams that with he had been feeling in his pocket the night before for his latch-key he had been robbed. He said noibing in relation to the assault which he afterward mentioned to reporters, and Mr. Kosier, with whom the Effendi was at its riend was not at that time under the Induced of Huguer. The police are inclined in doubt the stories of the loss of money and of the assault. It was said at Police Headquarters yesterday that the published statements regarding the loss of the waten and money were too conflicting for belief.

Opposed to Lands in Severalty.

A delegation of ten Usage Indians called at the Indian Office to-day. The delegation pay their own expenses. It is here for the purpose of protesting against the clause in the Indian Indian Indian Indian Sands in sweralty, but desires land patented to the tribe.